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## **RESPONSE TO GENUS/SPECIES ELECTION REQUIREMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the September 27, 1999 genus/species election requirement in the above identified patent application, applicants hereby provisionally elect, with traverse, species I of the claimed invention, state that Claims 1-8 read on the provisionally elected species, and acknowledge the temporary withdrawal from consideration of the originally submitted Claims 9-20.

The Examiner is hereby requested to telephone the undersigned attorney of record at 972/516-0030 if such would further or expedite the prosecution of the instant application.

Respectfully submitted,

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